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<b>Office Action Summary</b>	<b>Application No.</b> 10/519,816	<b>Applicant(s)</b> HILTUNEN, MISKA	
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- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
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#### Status

- 1) ☒ Responsive to communication(s) filed on 09 December 2004.
- 2a) ☐ This action is **FINAL**.                      2b) ☒ This action is non-final.
- 3) ☐ Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.

#### Disposition of Claims

- 4) ☒ Claim(s) 1-14 is/are pending in the application.
- 4a) Of the above claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
- 5) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are allowed.
- 6) ☒ Claim(s) 1-14 is/are rejected.
- 7) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ is/are objected to.
- 8) ☐ Claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

#### Application Papers

- 9) ☐ The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
- 10) ☐ The drawing(s) filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is/are: a) ☐ accepted or b) ☐ objected to by the Examiner.  
Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).  
Replacement drawing sheet(s) including the correction is required if the drawing(s) is objected to. See 37 CFR 1.121(d).
- 11) ☐ The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner. Note the attached Office Action or form PTO-152.

#### Priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119

- 12) ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All    b) ☐ Some \*    c) ☐ None of:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
  2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. \_\_\_\_\_.
  3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

\* See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.

#### Attachment(s)

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| 1) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)   | 4) <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413)<br>Paper No(s)/Mail Date. _____ |
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**DETAILED ACTION**

***Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 102***

1. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

A person shall be entitled to a patent unless –

(e) the invention was described in (1) an application for patent, published under section 122(b), by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent or (2) a patent granted on an application for patent by another filed in the United States before the invention by the applicant for patent, except that an international application filed under the treaty defined in section 351(a) shall have the effects for purposes of this subsection of an application filed in the United States only if the international application designated the United States and was published under Article 21(2) of such treaty in the English language.

2. Claims 1-14 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(e) as being anticipated by Brinkman et al. (US 2005/0120866).

Regarding claim 1, Brinkman discloses An electronic personal device comprising: a central processing unit (10), interface means for providing access to a memory area (11, 11', 11"0 for storing personal information data of the owner of the electronic device, a user interface (13) having at least input means (14) for inputting operating commands, and output means (15) for outputting information data, locking means (17) for locking the electronic device to prevent unauthorized use thereof if activated, and retrieving means (18) for operating the electronic device to retrieve the personal information data stored in the memory area (11, 11', 11"), even if the locking means (17) are activated. See paragraph 71.

Regarding claim 2, Brinkman discloses memory means (11) connected with the central processing unit (10) for providing the memory area for storing personal information data of the owner of the electronic device. See paragraph 72.

Regarding claim 3, Brinkman discloses a SIM card (10) connected with the central processing unit (10) wherein memory means (11') provided on the SIM card (19) are used as the

memory area for storing personal information data of the owner of the electronic device. See paragraph 131.

Regarding claim 4, Brinkman discloses an air interface for connecting the central processing unit (1) with the memory area for storing personal information data of the owner of the electronic device, the memory area is provided by remote memory means (11") located at a server (30) of a service provider. See paragraph 94.

Regarding claim 5, Brinkman discloses that the air interface comprises an RF module (31) for use in a telecommunications network. See paragraph 95.

Regarding claim 6, Brinkman discloses that the input means comprises a specific button (14') for activating the retrieving means (18) for obtaining the personal information data of the owner from the memory area (11). See paragraph 78.

Regarding claim 7, Brinkman discloses that the input means comprises a keypad (14) for dialing a phone number and in that the retrieving means (18) comprises a comparator means for comparing a character sequence input via the keypad (140) with a retrieving code and access means for retrieving personal information data of the owner from the memory area. See paragraph 87.

Regarding claim 8, Brinkman discloses that the retrieving means (18) comprises a menu control means for selecting a menu item for obtaining the personal information data of the owner from the memory area (11). See paragraph 91.

Regarding claim 9, Brinkman discloses an air interface for connecting the central processing unit (1) with the memory area for storing personal information data of the owner of

the electronic device, the memory area is provided by remote memory means (11") located at a server (30) of a service provider. See paragraph 84.

Regarding claim 10, Brinkman discloses an air interface for connecting the central processing unit (1) with the memory area for storing personal information data of the owner of the electronic device, the memory area is provided by remote memory means (11") located at a server (30) of a service provider. See paragraph 78.

Regarding claim 11, Brinkman discloses that the air interface comprises an RF module (31) for use in a telecommunications network. See paragraph 79.

Regarding claim 12, Brinkman discloses that the input means comprises a specific button (14') for activating the retrieving means (18) for obtaining the personal information data of the owner from the memory area (11). See paragraph 75.

Regarding claim 13, Brinkman discloses that the input means comprises a keypad (14) for dialing a phone number and in that the retrieving means (18) comprises a comparator means for comparing a character sequence input via the keypad (140) with a retrieving code and access means for retrieving personal information data of the owner from the memory area. See paragraph 79.

Regarding claim 14, Brinkman discloses that the retrieving means (18) comprises a menu control means for selecting a menu item for obtaining the personal information data of the owner from the memory area (11). See paragraph 79.

*Conclusion*

3. The prior art made of record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.
4. Hamilton (20030097571) discloses device for electronic commerce.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Sam Bhattacharya whose telephone number is (571) 272-7917. The examiner can normally be reached on Weekdays, 9-6, with first Fridays off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, George Eng can be reached on (571) 272-7495. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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